

## Message Text

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S E C R E T BELGRADE 2185

EO 11652: GDS  
TAGS: MOPS, YO  
SUBJ: NIMITZ CARRIER FLIGHT OPS

REF: STATE 61726 AND PREVIOUS

1. DURING CALL ON FOREIGN SECRETARIAT NORTH AMERICA  
DIRECTOR STARCEVIC TO REVIEW TITO VISIT, CHARGE TOOK  
UP ADRIATIC FLIGHT OPS. REFERRING TO DISCUSSIONS ON  
THE SUBJECT SINCE NOVEMBER, HE REITERATED THAT WE DO  
NOT SHARE THE YUGOSLAV VIEW THAT THE ADRIATIC IS TOO  
NARROW FOR FLIGHT OPS BUT THAT, TO AVIOD FUTURE  
MISUNDERSTANDINGS, WE PLAN TO PROVIDE ATC NOTIFICATION FOR  
FUTURE FLIGHTS IN PROXIMITY TO YUGOSLAV AIR SPACE. ON  
AN EXCEPTIONAL BASIS, WE WILL THIS WEEK PROVIDE ATC INFO  
VIA DAO FOR FLIGHT ACTIVITIES NEXT WEEK FROM NIMITZ, EVEN  
THOUGH THESE WILL BE IN ITALIAN FIR.

2. STARCEVIC RESPONDED POSTITIVELY, TO EFFECT THAT,  
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ALTHOUGH YUGOSLAWS WOULD PREFER NO FLIGHT OPS, THE  
NOTIFICATION PROCESS IS A USEFUL STEP.

3. WE WILL PROVIDE ROUTINE NOTIFICATION FOR NIMITZ OPS  
TO CIVIL AVIATION AUTHORITIES TOMORROW.  
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